

## Colorado Sporting Clays Association

### Quarterly Board Meeting - Teleconference

Nov 19, 2020

#### Attendance

Via Phone: Jason Leleck, Bruce Jones, Pat Flood, Martin Metsker, Dean Blanchard, Mark Moore, Chris Higgins, Mike Martin, Cory Kraft, Heath Stencil Lee Jackson, Ricky McCann, Chuck Whipple, John McCord, Jason Miklin, Jeff Marlatt, Lexi Swearengin

Meeting called to order 6:31PM

#### Minutes

[MOTION] July Minutes – Martin Metsker Move to Approve, Dean Blanchard 2<sup>nd</sup>, Approved, unanimous

#### Treasurer's Report

- \$52,540 Account Total
  - \$12,737 Youth Fund
  - \$39,803 CSCA Fund
- At about \$600 better than we started the beginning of the year
- Budget
  - Q- Bruce J - Will there be a plan for projected plan for estimating income?
  - A – Jason yes, we will estimate it out.

#### NSCA Delegate's report

- Bruce Jones
  - Nationals Delegate Meeting was cancelled due to COVID 19
  - Not much activity by Delegates since Nationals
  - Governance Elections took place – results available on the NSCA Site
  - No need to work on US Open since Claythorne picked up 2021 due to 2020 cancellation.
  - 2022 Shoot – Backwoods Quail Club – South Carolina
- Bruce J / Chris H – sub gauge rules still planned to go after the first of the year

#### Old Business

- 2020 State Shoot Summary
  - a. Survey Results – overall positive sentiment
  - b. Protest Process – needs to follow the rulebook in the future. All protests made in writing. Issue at the 2020 Colorado State shoot was not handled by the book.
  - c. Score Keeper Options for 2021
    - i. Scorekeepers for Subgauge – high level estimate \$3200 (8 people, 4 days, \$100/day)
    - ii. What about Prelim, Super sporting?
    - iii. Super Sporting – need to put, “showpair singles only, no true pair”

- iv. Additional Option – what about a “range master” that would be a suitable alternative? Develop squads, oversee the entire activities, to make sure the rules are followed. Make sure that we have 3 or 4 person squads. Transportation for the “Range Master?”
  - v. Challenge to find scorekeepers for that many events. Historically we used to have scorekeepers for all events, however it became too hard to find that many scorekeepers.
  - vi. On the CSCA to provide the people
  - vii. What about fully squadded event? Squadded events will likely bring in less, euro keeps that traffic coming in. Squadded event does help the single shooter that doesn’t have a ‘squad’.
    - What would the cost be for Casey to squad the event for sub gauge?
  - viii. Option – what about paying shooters to score when they are not shooting?
  - ix. Scorekeeper Incentive – what about free targets vs paying them?
  - x. Limit the number of rotations for events (Prelim, SuperSport?) Risk would be limiting the number of shooters due to conflicts
- Circuit Shoot - Dean & Martin
    - a. Point System, awards by class, starting class
    - b. Purpose is to promote more participation to all shoots
    - c. Want to finish it by State so it can be announced at the State Shoot
    - d. Clubs that want to participate will need to pick which shoot
    - e. If the shoot is early in the year and cancelled, it may cause an issue and they would need to be pulled out
    - f. The morning shoot would be the main event that would count towards the ‘circuit shoot’.
    - g. 20 bonus points for showing up to the event
    - h. No cost to the CSCA, No Cost to clubs, No Cost to the Shooters
    - i. Concern that we only award the “top shooters” – needs to clarify that the funds are not coming from the general fund
    - j. Dean to send out the rules for the event
    - k. Awards – Martin has a sponsor that will buy us the belt buckles
    - l. Mark/Rickey/Heath/Cory/Lee – agree, like the approach, fresh idea, help get shooters down to the club
- 2021 Shoot Schedule - Jason
    - a. Circuit Shoots
      - i. Club needs to pick a date that does not conflict with other shoots (Western Regionals, SCTP, Neighboring State, not same weekend – State Shoot)
    - b. ScoreChaser
      - i. Longmeadow, Colorado Clays, Kiowa Creek, Republic, Pikes Peak (reviewing), Silver Creek (will call Casey), Del Monte (2 yrs left on winscore deal)
      - ii. On the calendar – update to add a link to where they register
    - c. 626 Clubs
      - i. GG, CC, LM, KC (Sunday Only), Republic, SC, PP interested

- ii. Jason - Send the vote to the membership
- Communications/Website
  - a. Website – Jason
    - i. Mike Martin – local shooter
  - b. New Logo - Jeff & Heath
    - i. Heath to send over a couple ideas from this years state shoot
  - c. Survey Platform – Jason
    - i. Survey Monkey - Free version going away.
    - ii. Well worth it if we need pay for it.
    - iii. Clubs be able to also utilize?
  - d. Monthly Email Communication – Jason
    - i. Circuit Shoot
    - ii. Schedule Up
    - iii. Youth Scholarship Fund highlighted – maybe make this the circuit shoot 4/17?
- Cameo Range Update - Bruce & Jeff
  - a. Clubs on the phone not interested in hosting a shoot at Cameo/setting up out there
  - b. Potential other “jobber” to host a shoot – Hansen or Pinnacle shooting to be able to host it
  - c. David Reed/Tom Soucek would be the user group member
  - d. Bruce J to ping them to follow up to see if they are still interested
  - e. Rifle and Pistol events are already holding major events

## New Business

- 2021 State Shoot
  - a. Target Setter’s for 2021
    - i. Bill/Jeff – Target Setters?
    - ii. Jeff – will reach out to Bill to provide the bids
    - iii. 3 possibly 4 target setters Bids
    - iv. Vote to be presented to the Board
    - v. Committee provide a recommendation and bring it to the board
    - vi. Recommendation to not just go with the cheapest, we may draw in more shooters if we bring in a different setter than before
  - b. Rickey to confirm if Casey will be able to do the shoot
    - i. Will ask how much additional to do squadding for sub gauge
  - c. When will it be advertised?
    - i. Define the format, target setter, etc
    - ii. Last year Heath did all their own advertising. Historically the association has kicked in for half of the advertisement funds.
- January Meeting
  - a. 2021 Budget Approval
  - b. Elections
  - c. Thursday 1/21 @ 6:30 Location TBD

## Open Forum

Jason Miklin – shooter, first year shooting. Western Regionals the target level was so much harder, is there a way for local shoots to be more competitive or harder to align with some more national caliber level.

Are there any clubs interested in bringing in a pro shooter? If there are is any interest, setup info, send to the email.

Cory Kraft move to adjourn, Bruce Jones 2<sup>nd</sup>

Meeting adjourn at 8:13PM